DON’T YOU KNOW I CARE—Mack David
(OR DON’T YOU CARE TO KNOW) — Duke Ellington

4/4 1…2…123 (without intro)

Intro:

Don’t you know
I care,
or don’t you care to know?

If you know
that I care,
how could you hurt me so?

Darling, you
are part
of every breath I take

Will you break
my heart,
or give my heart a break?

I can’t figure out what love’s all a-bout, and where I fit into your scheme

Am I wasting time? Please, tell me, 'cause I'm down to my last dream

Won't you, please, be fair?

Love me or let me go

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Interlude: First 2 lines

Won't you, please, be fair? Love me or let me go

Don't you know I care, or don't you care to know?

Please be fair. Never let me go,

Or don’t you care to know?
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CMA7  C6  Gm9  C13  D7  G7  CMA7  C6
Don't you know I care, or don't you care to know?

D  Db6  CMA7  A7+  Dm7  G7b9  CMA7  G7b9
If you know that I care, how could you hurt me so?

CMA7  C6  Gm9  C13  D7  G7  CMA7  C6
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D  Db6  CMA7  A7+  Dm7  G7b9  CMA7  C6
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Em  Am7  B7  Em  Eb  AbMA7
I can't figure out what love's all about, and where I fit into your scheme

Cm  Ebdim  Ab9  Dm7  G7
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CMA7  C6  Gm9  C13  D7  G7  CMA7  C6
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Dm7  G7  Em7  A7+
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Dm7  G7  C  F9  Bb7  Eb9  Ab9  Db7  CMA7  C6
Or don’t you care to know?